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PERSONALS.

E. J. Keras of Chicago is in the city.

George W. Adams is visiting Kligman.

J. C. Downs of Chicago is in town on business.

D. B. Fuller of Eureka is doing business in town.

F. A. Grogg of St. Louis is registered at the Occidental.

M. Cox of Newton was registered at the Carey yesterday.

John A. Church of St. Louis is a guest at the Occidental.

George D. Carter of Topeka is stopping at the Manhattan.

Mrs. J. M. Harper of Conway Springs is at the Metropole.

Charles J. Hydebrand of Chicago is stopping at the Carey.

C. R. Stevens and wife of Emporia is in the city on business.

Charles Stroh of Marion was at the Manhattan yesterday.

G. W. Benton of Chicago was at the Manhattan yesterday.

J. L. Findlay of Sterling was at the Occidental yesterday.

J. W. Quail of Sedgewick was a guest at the Carey last night.

John D. Simpson of Bedford, Ind., was at the Carey yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ramsey of Arkansas City are stopping at the Carey.

Claude Williams and C. H. Brooks of Kansas City are at the Metropole.

Captain J. D. Barker of Girard, candidate for governor, is at the Metropole.

J. R. Smith of Fort Scott, candidate for secretary of state, is at the Metropole.

R. Snowden and two daughters of Granada, Colo., are stopping at the Metropole.

W. E. Brown of Augusta was one of the many people who transacted business here yesterday.

Mrs. O. T. Stinson of Cheney is visiting her daughter, Miss Rachel, of 1039 South Emporia avenue.

E. J. Foster arrived from Indianapolis yesterday evening, after an absence of several months.

Bert Hyde, the eldest son of A. A. Hyde of College hill, has taken employment with the Hyde & Humble Stationary company.

J. K. Taylor, the rustling traveling agent for the Missouri Pacific Coal company of Kansas City, is spending a few days in the city on business.

Mrs. E. E. Bieckly yesterday left for St. Louis to visit her husband, who is in the hospital there, receiving treatment for his eyes. Mrs. B. will probably remain a week.

A pleasant children's party was given at the residence of Mr. Fred Smythe, on the corner of Lawrence and Tenth, on Wednesday, in honor of little Miss Smythe's third birthday.

John N. Roach and wife have returned from Rushville, Ill., where they have been on an extended visit. Mr. Roach has been in poor health and he hopes to regain his health in the grand climate of southwestern Kansas.

The Masonic lodge of instruction, which has been held here since Monday, will hold their meeting this evening at Sunflower lodge on the West side. The third degree will be exemplified, and they have a live candidate to work upon. This evening's meeting promises to be an interesting one.

The Knight Templars met last night for drill, and there will be weekly drills by the commandery here on Thursdays, to prepare for the grand convocation at Newton in May and for the great triennial convocation at Denver. The country is so much in drilling when in practice, and they will do their best at these occasions.

Tonight at 8 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church a reception will be given to young men who are not members of other churches in town. All are cordially invited and the indications are that a most pleasant evening will be spent in making new acquaintances, listening to good music and enjoying refreshments.

El Horner, a prominent farmer from below town, who is prosperous from the fact that he is a heavy fruit and cattle raiser, was in town yesterday laying in a fine lot of nursery stock. At this time Mr. Horner carries an orchard of twenty acres, all in bearing. He will increase his fruit area this spring by putting out seven acres more.

Frank Van, who it is said, has been getting more money out of the unsuspecting public in this city and vicinity for the past three weeks, than he knew what to do with, was arrested on the street yesterday afternoon by Officer Kusler. The gentlemanly Van, alias etc., refused at first to accompany Mr. Kusler to the lock up, but he went. His case will be called up this morning at 9 o'clock if the gentleman has by that time gotten over his fear.

A MISSOURI OUTRAGE.

A Des Moines woman sent from the Washburner Commonwealth to Wichita.

Night before last a hack drove up rapidly to the home of Miner Mosher of this city, stopped at the gate, deposited a woman on the sidewalk and called out Mr. Mosher. When Mr. Mosher came out to his great astonishment he found Mrs. Margaret Frye of Newton county, Missouri, before him. He took her in and cared for her as best he could, for he has known her for several years and is her guardian. Mrs. Frye, as stated, was a resident of Newton county, Missouri, but for the past five years has been an inmate of the insane asylum at Nevada. While the institution is owned and operated by the state in the interest of its patients, Mr. Mosher has been paying for the lady's care there for some time. Some time ago the asylum became crowded and the sick Missourians went to work and adopted a scheme to thin out, by sending as many patients as they possibly could to certain friends in other states to them. Mrs. Frye was among the number who were dispatched. How she came here nobody knows. She was evidently brought over by some man who, to all appearance, engaged a hackman at the depot to take her to Mrs. Mosher's. This was evidently the way it was done, for the hackman hurriedly got away, evidently for the purpose of avoiding questions from Mrs. Mosher.

Mrs. Frye was sent yesterday to the county jail, where she is still confined. She is dangerously insane, and of course could not be kept in a private family by any means. The authorities here do not propose to maintain her, and it was reported last night that Governor Humphrey was made acquainted with the facts and requested to take the necessary steps to have her sent back to Missouri. She never lived in Kansas, and the fact that she was dumped off in a community upon which she has no legal claim is considered an outrage. The conduct of the Missourians seems to be uncivilized and inhuman.

SONS OF HERMAN INSTALLATION.

The Sons of Herman's hall was well filled last night with the members of the order and their immediate German friends, who had assembled to witness the installation of officers. The ceremonies were very pretty and impressive and lasted about half an hour. The officers were installed by D. G. P. William Meyer, assisted by E. G. P. Otto Zimmerman and G. F. Peter.

The gentlemen performed their duties in a very dignified and highly effective manner, which lent solemnity to the occasion. The officers installed were as follows:

President—A. C. Huey.

Vice President—Otto Koch.

Secretary—Julius Zimmerman.

Treasurer—William Springborn.

Trustee—H. Tagenhorst.

Guide—John Lehn.

Admission—M. Matzka.

Outer Guard—B. W. Cooper.

Finance committee—John Weger, William Starr and H. W. Noltemeyer.

The officers were installed in the order by the members of the order, who were eagerly witnessed by the members and their friends.

The lodge of Herman's Sons in this city has seventy members and is rapidly growing up for consideration now. This lodge was organized on July 23, 1890, and is now in a more prosperous condition than it has ever been. There are eight lodges of the order in Kansas, Wichita being the most prosperous and one of the largest.

After the ceremonies were concluded a social time was had. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was passed, which will always be remembered as a happy event.

SHOCKED HIS MODESTY.

Fred Riche, the druggist, is, as everybody knows, one of the most modest young gentlemen in the Peerless Princess, but his modesty received a continuation of shocks a few nights ago that the gentleman will not get over for several months. He was coming home on the Rock Island train from Kansas City and just as he had himself comfortably fixed in a reclining chair, in came a young couple from near Mulvane, who had the matrimonial knot just tied in Kansas City, and plaudited themselves in the chairs immediately in front of him. Naturally thinking, from all they had heard, that matrimony made them one, they ordered but one pillow and both heads reclined on it. They did not recline long, however, for immediately they engaged in a protracted struggle and kissing match before the very eyes of Mr. Riche, which they kept up till the train arrived in Wichita, when he left them still absorbing the honey from each other's lips. They kissed and hugged openly and above board in the presence of all the passengers, and the conductor was absolutely obliged to lock the coach door to resist the stampede made from the snicker to witness such an extraordinary elaborate scene of nuptial bliss. Fred, of course, closed his eyes so as not to see such open and public manifestations of conjugal happiness and tried hard to sleep, but the moment his senses reached the very frontier of the land of nod the smack of a kiss would recall them and all the charms and powers of Morpheus failed to get him in her embrace during the night. If you want to see him blush ask him about it.

GRATEFUL TOWANDA.

To the Editor of the Eagle.

I have been spending several days with the sufferers at Towanda, and while mingling with them I learned that certain reports were being circulated regarding the relief given to the sufferers there, and for the magnificent generosity of Wichita in responding to the cries of want and suffering here. However, Wichita's noble offers of kindness may have met with indifference, or even rejection, I am sure the people of Towanda are not the guilty parties. The "aunt" to your benevolent institutions came from other parties, and they outside the afflicted precinct. I have gotten very near, and have felt the throbbing pulse of these desolate sufferers, and everywhere I heard only one sentiment, "How nobly Wichita is doing! God bless Wichita! We can never forget the kindness of Wichita," etc. They desire to be understood as holding but one opinion, that of true Christian laborers in their behalf, and that is one of earnest and hearty thankfulness for what you are so kindly doing for them. If there has been lack of appreciation in any particular I assure you it is not on the part of Towanda.

C. H. ROGERS.

Pastor All Souls, Arkansas City, Kan.

KANSAS THE BEST.

Jack Watson, the liveliest drummer on the road, is spending a few days in the city, camping at the Carey hotel where he always makes himself entertaining and interesting. Yesterday he received a letter from Corbett, the pugilist who is matched to fight Sullivan next September. In his Corbett really regrets the fact that he has to spend one of his own countrymen to attain the championship of the world in the main event. Jack has a half notion to believe Corbett, who was raised within a block of his former home in San Francisco. Mr. Watson travels through the state and he positively states that Kansas is the most lively and prosperous state of all of them, by odds.

CITY BUILDING DEDICATION.

The committees engaged on the reception promenade concert to be given under the auspices of the Columbia club in the city building, at an early date, are making preparations for an elaborate affair. A fine program of addresses by prominent citizens, vocal and instrumental selections by our most talented musicians, recitations and orchestral music, will beguile the moments spent in the council chamber.

Those who enjoy "tripping the light fantastic" will under Prof. Beal's leadership, find happiness and mirth. Every room of the spacious building will be thrown open and magnificent hospitality and friendly intercourse will be the order of the evening.

It is intended to send out invitations to distinguished officials of the state to attend and participate in the occasion of honoring the dedication of the city building, as well as furthering the advantages of Sedgewick county and Wichita, in their exhibits at the world's fair.

It is urged upon every loyal citizen to make this a personal affair, and to see to it that for the honor of one city and county and to promote our interests abroad, success shall attend the reception.

To every lady who is, or wishes to be, a member of the Columbia club, this is an earnest appeal to be present at the meeting to be held at the new city building, Friday, today. An opportunity to cast a vote for or against the opening of the world's fair on the Sabbath will be given.

A NEW COUNT ASKED.

One of the Defeat Candidates Desires a New Count of the Sixth Ward Ballots.

Mr. Johnson, of the Sixth ward, who was a candidate for the city council before the voters last Tuesday and who fell three votes short of being even with the winning man, Mr. R. P. Perrier, will file a motion today for a recount of the votes, through his attorney, Sam B. Amidon. Mr. Johnson is not contesting or insisting that he has been fairly elected, but he thinks the judges of the election have made a mistake in the count. If they have made a mistake it was evidently without intent, and, in fact, neither Mr. Johnson or his attorney, have any suspicion of anything wrong. The fact is the judges canvassed the vote very rapidly, counting 240 tickets in just thirty minutes, a record which is said to be almost impossible. It is said that two of the judges, Messrs. Ransome and Ash, favor a recount, as they consider it not at all improbable that they may have made a mistake. The votes will be canvassed this evening by the city council according to law.

HARRY STREET SCHOOL.

The following program will be rendered by the pupils of the C Grammar grade of this school from 2 to 4 p. m. this afternoon. All the patrons of the school are most cordially invited to attend:

Song—"Thanksgiving".....School

Reading.....Charles Bell

Recitation.....Centennial Hymn

Song—"Columbus".....School

Essay.....Life of Columbus

Paper.....Miss Nellie Herdic

Recitation.....Columbus

Calisthenic drill.....Twelve Girls

Song—"A Jolly sailor".....School

Reading.....Clark Baldwin

Recitation.....Liberty Tree

Columbus First Journey.....Cora Rice

Reading of the "Little Eagle".....Willie Burt

Recitation.....National Hymn

Song—"Jubilee".....School

Recitation.....Miss Nellie Stanley

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Prophecy.....Miss Cora Crawford

Song—"Farragut".....School

Flag Drill.....Nine Boys

Addresses will be made by Rev. C. S. Nushum, Messrs. V. K. Stanley and A. H. Ward.

Presiding officers—Miss Ida Cole and Miss Bertha Crawford.

ITEMS FROM CONWAY.

To the Wichita Daily Eagle.

The city election passed off quietly last Monday. Notwithstanding a disagreeable day the city polled the largest vote it ever did, the issue appeared to be between the railroad and the citizens and the result was that the entire railroad ticket was elected. The mayor is somewhat in doubt as to whether there is a question as to whether Mr. Hubbard, the mayor elect, lives within the corporate limits of the city.

Mr. R. Sparks and Mayor Elect Hubbard drove to Wellington today.

Mr. N. J. Probst has been on the sick list for some time, but is now able to be about.

Twenty-two persons were baptised last Sunday at State creek, all were members of the Baptist church.

Two good plasterers could find plenty of work here now.

The only damage done by the recent high winds to our city was the blowing down of an awning in front of the Rock Island business building and the blowing down of the frame of a new dwelling in process of erection.

About 4 o'clock Monday p. m. a message reached here stating that a eye would reach this place about 4:45 p. m. This caused some of our people to seek their eyeglasses, but the cyclone failed to appear.

VERY, VERY THANKFUL.

The Eagle received a telegram last night which has been read, from R. B. McClure, chairman of the local relief committee of Towanda, acknowledging the receipt of \$100 subscribed by Cash Henderson of the New York dry goods store of this city. It is due the big-hearted Cash Henderson to say that he was not only the first gentleman to subscribe to the relief fund, but actually contributed very nearly ten times more to the sufferers than any other individual who has yet been heard from. In Towanda, among the sufferers, his name has a place in the hearts of the people, at present at least, second only to George Washington. It is no secret among those who interest themselves in the cause of the poor that Cash Henderson is one of the greatest philanthropists in this section of the country. He is always the first to respond to the call of charity, and on one occasion when he saw an account of the sufferings of an aged woman of the West Side in the columns of the Eagle, he waited not for breakfast, but rushed down town and literally filled the poor woman's house with bed clothing and provisions.

MRS. HAYFIELD'S DEATH.

Mrs. D. B. Hayfield of the West Side died at 8 o'clock yesterday morning of a lingering consumption which extended over a period of several months. She was conscious to the last and absolutely closed her eyes for the sleep that knows no waking. She was perfectly resigned to the summons of the all destroyer and had nothing to regret but her separation from husband and children. The funeral will take place at the family residence, 307 South Spruce street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Misses Carrie Winants, Virgiline, Lucy and Belle Noble yesterday saw the sights at Towanda.

A MASS CONVENTION.

The Democracy of Sedgewick County Will Meet Tomorrow to Elect Salina Delegates.

S. B. Amidon, chairman of the Democratic county central committee of Sedgewick county has called a mass meeting of the faithful to assemble tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Peck Hall, corner of First and Main streets. The meeting promises to be a big one, and all the war horses have their annual speeches ready for the occasion. They are all for Tom Fitch, who is a candidate for delegate-at-large to Chicago, and will go into the convention prepared to demonstrate that 200 and harmony go hand in hand. Mr. Fitch has been asked to select his own delegates to Salina, but whether he will get them or not in the convention remains to be seen. All the Democrats say that Tom can have every man his names, for all the faithful claim to truly love him and the city which he will have the honor to represent in the event of his election. Thomas, notwithstanding his name, is not doubting that his townline is made of sterner stuff than sand, and is happy in the decision that he will have something to do with the nomination of the next president. He does not seem to reflect on the fact that Caesar had his Brutus and Charles I. his Cromwell.

The convention will transact only one line of business and that one is the selection of delegates to the Salina convention, which will, in turn, select delegates to the Democratic national convention.

EARTHQUAKES.

Do not fail to hear Dr. Williston of the state university at the Board of Trade hall tonight in his lecture on earthquakes and coral islands. The professor will bring with him numerous photographic lantern slides to illustrate his subject. The question of continuing the University extension course in Wichita another year will be brought up.

VISITORS' DAY.

Today is visitors' day at the Wichita hospital, from 9 to 11 a. m. and from 2 to 4 p. m. There are now being so many patients and the superintendent with nurse being so very busy, that those desirous to visit the hospital will please remember the hours. A special invitation is extended the city officials and commissioners, also staff of physicians.

SHOT IN THE HAND.

C. W. Corty returned yesterday from El Reno, O. T., with his hand in a sling. He was down there night before last and while opening his grip to show a customer some goods his revolver, which was in the grip, went off from some cause, the bullet entering the palm and coming out at the back of his hand. The injured member was dressed by the physicians of El Reno and was again dressed when he reached here and he will be all right again in a few days.

INDORSED BY OGSTON.

Frank F. Ogston, recently the manager of the Crawford Grand opera house in this city, sent the following telegram last night to the editor of the Eagle concerning Edie Eliser in Hazle Kirke which will be presented in this city tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night:

To the Editor of the Eagle.

Edie Eliser with Guldock supported by Frank Weston and a strong company in revival of Hazle Kirke furnished an entertainment worthy of the largest passage. It is altogether one of the best attractions of the season. Did a large business here and the performance received unequalled approval.

COLLEGE HILL SCHOOL.

All interested in the College Hill school are invited to their Columbia exercises, which will be held, through the generosity of Mr. Hyde, in the S. and B. hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon. There will be an exhibition of school work that the parents may see the character of the work their children are doing.

After the completion of the program, the pupils will march to the children's home, and make their Arbor Day donation of trees, one of which will be planted for Senator Peffer and another in honor of Mrs. Simpson. Both of these distinguished congressmen have written letters for the occasion, which will be read. Then will follow an oration by one of Wichita's youngest orators, Graham Campbell.

A NOTE OF EXPLANATION.

The editor of the EAGLE is in receipt of several letters from citizens of Towanda all of the same tenor, deploring the fact that any impression should have gotten out to the effect that that stricken and afflicted people did not in the fullest sense appreciate the kindly sympathy and generosity of the people of this city, and that they were indignant at the misrepresentation of a local paper.

The people of Towanda are assured that Wichita people were well aware that the letter referred to was unauthorized and by irresponsible persons. For this reason the letters are not published, except one from a minister of Arkansas City, who writes as a visitor voicing the sentiments at Towanda and which will be found elsewhere.

WICHITA GIRLS COMPLIMENTED.

The Winfield Daily Courier says of the entertainment given by Miss Blanche Smith at Winfield: "The educational entertainment given at the college by Miss Smith and her pupils, Miss Dewey and Miss Opal Street of Wichita, was one of the best literary entertainments ever given at the college. Miss Smith has perfected her art in an unusually thorough manner, her finely modulated voice and graceful bearing captivating her audience. Opal Street, though scarcely 10 years of age, has self-possession on the platform that few of her elders can approach. She was repeatedly encored, as were others on the program, and by her fine recitals won the hearts and admiration of her hearers. Miss Dewey's speaking is at once thrilling and pleasing, and as an eloquent and certain a success. The selections from Greek art were fine. The music was furnished by Professor Strong, and was excellent. Altogether the entertainment was one of the best of the kind we have ever attended and the association has been requested to have it repeated, which we hope will be done at no distant date."

AMUSEMENTS.

ONE OF AN INTERESTING EVENT.

The present theatrical season is the revival of the "Hazel Kirke" by Miss Edie Eliser. This play had the most wonderful of all successful runs, and probably no more pleasing and popular artists is before the public than Miss Eliser, the original Hazel in the play, and the one to whom all honor is due for its phenomenal popularity. Miss Eliser brings with her of the original Madison Square Theatre company those who originated the principal characters, including the veteran C. W. Condon and the comedian, Frank Weston. She and her company will receive in all probability a warm and substantial reception from their supporters at the Crawford Grand Friday and Saturday.



Mrs. LETTIE BENTLEY.

Is the wife of Mr. W. S. Bentley of Cortland, N. Y., a well known carpenter and builder. Her frank statement below gives only the absolute truth concerning her illness and marvelous recovery by the aid of Hood's Sarsaparilla. She says:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir: Twelve years ago I began to have hemorrhages and four years ago became so low that the physicians told me:

There was No Hope

and I should soon die. I could not be moved from my bed. Under my face were napkins continually redened with blood from my mouth. I could eat nothing and had no action of the bowels for a week. The doctors said the case was utterly in the stomach. At this time my mother said she wanted to make one more trial, and asked if I would take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I told her it would be

A Waste of Money

but finding it would comfort her, I began taking it. In a few days the bleeding began to subside. I assumed to feel a little stronger, but thought it only fancy. I was so weak I could only take ten drops of Sarsaparilla at first. In two weeks I was able to sit up a few minutes every day. In a month I could walk across the room. One day I asked what they were to have for dinner, and said I wanted something hearty. My mother was so happy she cried. It was the

First Time I had Felt Hunger for Two Years